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Mr. Roger Smith Resource Manager Engineering and Housing Department of the Army Fort Dix, NJ 08640

Dear Roger:

On June 21, 2002, I attempted to conduct an aerial detection survey for gypsy moth-caused tree defoliation at Fort Dix. Due to flight restrictions imposed by McGuire Air Force Base, I was unable to conduct this survey.

However, if you anticipate requesting financial or technical assistance for gypsy moth control in 2003, please contact Brad Onken or me by letter or telephone (304) 285-1541 before August 22, 2002.

Please contact me at the above number if you have any questions regarding this aerial survey letter.

Sincerely,

RODNEY L. WHITEMAN

Forester

Forest Health Protection

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